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In reapplication of: Waller, Jr., James K.; Waller, Jon J.; and Blum, Russell W.

Application No.: 09/362,266 Group No.: 2644

Filed: July 28, 1999 Examiner: XU MEI

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. section 1.191)

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed March 6, 2003, finally rejecting claims 2-5.

STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of a small entity. Applicant claims small entity status.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. section 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is:

Small entity

\$160.00

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3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R.1.136 apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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5. FEE PAYMENT

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6. FEE DEFICIENCY

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is a request therefor and to charge Account No. 03-1127.

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